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**Re: FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION ("FEC") INQUIRY  
REGARDING DR. JOSE VALDEZ  
FEC REF NO: MUR 5955**

Dear Ms Collins:

I appreciated our telephone conversation yesterday afternoon regarding this firm's representation of Dr Jose Valdez. As you requested, I am attaching Dr Valdez's Statement of Designation of Counsel so that we can work with you to address any FEC concerns regarding Dr Valdez.

I would like to confirm my understanding of certain issues we discussed. I understand that Dr Valdez's response to the FEC's December 5, 2007 letter would normally be due on December 30, 2007, 15 days after he received it. However, I also understand that you have agreed to provide us with a 30 day extension for providing that response so that we can have adequate time to become familiar with the issues. Dr. Valdez's response will now be due to the FEC by January 29, 2008. Please contact me immediately if my understanding of our discussion differs from your own.

I am always available to you if anything arises that you would like to discuss. Thank you for your professional courtesies.

Very truly yours,  
BIERNERT & MILLER

  
Louis P. Feuchtmann, Esq.

Attachment

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## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL  
 Please use one form for each Respondent/Client.  
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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my  
 counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications  
 from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

12-18-07

Date

Jose A. Valdez

Respondent/Client Signature

Title

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